

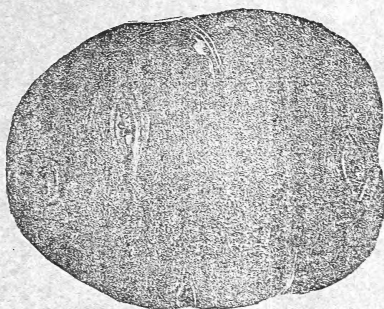
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FROM GROWER TO SOWER

1907

EASTMAN'S SEEDS



FARMER'S FRIEND—See page 2

The Eastman Seed Co.
East Sumner, Maine



EASTMAN'S SEEDS

For 1907

FOR OVER TWENTY YEARS our Annual Seed Catalogue has contained extended descriptions of the varieties of vegetables and flowers that have seemed best adapted to the needs of our customers.

If—as it would seem—many of these descriptions have become as familiar to you as they are to us, the repetition this year would appear to be a waste of space, and rather a hindrance than a help to the selection of your requirements. By eliminating much of this descriptive matter, we are enabled to give our list in much more convenient form for ready reference, making it emphatically a catalogue for busy people, to whom minutes mean dollars.

If we are mistaken in the preferences of our customers, we may resume the old form of catalogue another year. In the mean time, for any who wish more extended descriptions, we still have a small surplus of our 1906 catalogues, which are free while they last.

We Warrant our seeds to be exactly as represented, to the extent of refunding the order gratis, to same value, should there be just cause for dissatisfaction.

Extra Seeds may be selected *by the packet* to the amount of 20 cents for every full dollar remitted. On all general orders, seeds to the full amount of the actual remittance may be either by the packet or by the pound, ounce, quart, etc., but the **EXTRA** seeds must be *by the packet only*. The only exception to this offer is on orders consisting almost wholly of high priced seed in quantity, such as onion seed by the pound, peas by the bushel, etc.

We Pay the Postage on seeds by mail at list prices. Seeds by express are at expense of purchaser.

How to Send Money. Sums of over one dollar may be sent at our risk by postoffice money order, express order, bank draft or registered letter. One dollar or less may be sent at our risk in a securely sealed letter, plainly addressed to

THE EASTMAN SEED CO., East Sumner, Maine

OUR NEW POTATO

"NAMELESS" NO LONGER

We had a potato, and we trusted to our customers to give it a worthy name. In accordance with our original offer, we last year printed a list of ten names which we selected from the names suggested by our customers of 1905, and these ten names were submitted to the vote of our customers of 1906, the result being a plurality of votes for the name

FARMER'S FRIEND.

This name was suggested by Willis G. Jones, of Connecticut, and it is interesting to note that although nine other names were in competition, a fraction over 24 per cent of the entire vote was for FARMER'S FRIEND. Mr. Jones writes us:

"Your Nameless Potato is all you claim for it. I planted eleven kinds in one row. Nine of them rotted badly, yours and one other did not rot all. What the farmers want now is a round white or netted potato to take the place of the red Stray Beauty. Round potatoes take the place of long ones in my market. The 'nameless' fills the place, that is why I named it FARMER'S FRIEND."

In introducing this potato in small lots for trial two years ago, we claimed for it these ten points of excellence:

1. Extreme earliness.
2. Vigor of growth.
3. Ability to withstand disease.
4. Productiveness.
5. Uniformity of size, and small proportion of undersize.
6. Fine shape—nearly globular.
7. Beauty of color,—pure white, with little splashes of red, especially about the eyes.
8. Superior table quality, either baked or boiled.
9. Long keeping characteristics.
10. The happy combination of all these points in one variety, making it an A 1 all round potato.

Our claims seem to be abundantly fulfilled in the experience of our customers, while on our own grounds they have out-yielded the Green Mountain with identical treatment, and have withstood rust to a greater degree than any other potato we know. All who have not already done so should try the FARMER'S FRIEND this year.

Prices: Per bu. \$3.50; peck \$1.00; lb. (postp'd) 25 c.; tuber 10 c.



ASPARAGUS

	Per lb.	1-4 lb.	oz.	pkt.
Conover's Colossal	50	15	8	5
The Palmetto	75	20	10	5

BEAN

BUSH VARIETIES.

	*By express Per qt.	By mail Per qt.	pkt.
Lightning	35	50	10
One of our own introductions, and the quickest bean on record from planting to the table. Good for a shell bean when past the string bean stage.			
Golden Eved Wax	30	45	5
The nearest rust proof of any wax variety.			
Dwarf Horticultural	30	45	5
Early Valentine	30	45	5

POLE VARIETIES.

Old Homestead (Kentucky Wonder)	35	50	5
Golden Cluster Wax	35	50	5
London Horticultural (Speckled Cranberry)	30	45	5

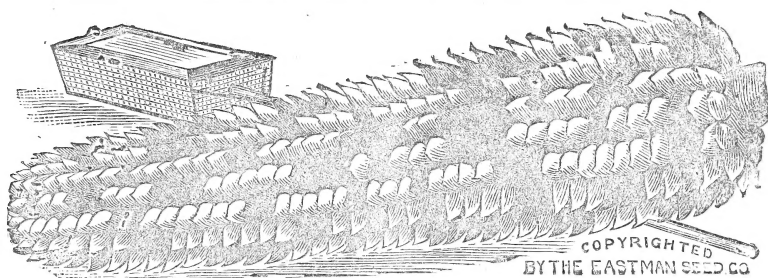
BEET

	Per lb.	1-4 lb.	oz.	pkt.
Faust's Early (Earliest variety).....	50	15	8	5
Edmand's Blood Turnip	50	15	8	5
The reddest of all turnip beets.				
Eclipse	50	15	8	5
Golden Turnip.....	60	20	10	5
Long Smooth Dark Blood	50	15	8	5

VARIETIES FOR CATTLE.

Imperial Sugar	35	12	5
Mangel Wurzel, Mammoth Long Red	35	12	5
" " Orange Globe	35	12	5

*At mail price, "We pay the postage." At express price, charges of transportation are paid by the purchaser.



TATTOOED YANKEE POP CORN (See page 5)

BRUSSELS SPROUTS

	Per lb.	1-4 lb.	oz.	pkt.
Dwarf Improved			15	5

CABBAGE

Earliest of All	3 00	1 00	30	5
EARLY WINNIGSTADT	2 00	60	20	5
Early Jersey Wakefield	2 50	80	25	5
All Seasons	2 00	60	20	5
Danish Ball Head	2 50	80	25	5
Marblehead Mammoth	2 50	80	25	5
Premium Flat Dutch	1 75	50	15	5
American Savoy Improved	2 00	60	20	5
Mammoth Rock Red (For pickling, etc.)	2 25	60	20	5

CARROT

✓ Early Short Scarlet	80	25	10	5
✓ OXHEART	90	30	10	5
✓ Danvers (half long)	90	30	10	5
✓ Long Orange	70	25	10	5
✓ Large White Belgian	60	20	10	5

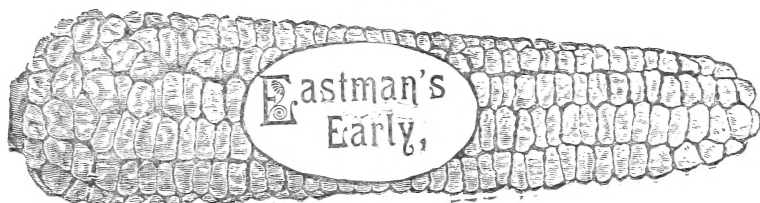
CAULIFLOWER

SNOWBALL				20
Early Dwarf Erfurt				15
Early Paris				10

CELERY

WHITE PLUME			20	5
Giant Pascal			20	5
Golden Self-blanching			25	5
Turnip Rooted			20	5

CORN



SWEET VARIETIES.

* By express By mail
Per qt. Per qt. pkt.

Eastman's Early..... 30 40 5

This sweet corn leads in earliness, is the finest in quality of the extra earlies, and out-yields every early variety we have ever tested.

At the N. H. EXPERIMENT STATION, in a field test of 41 varieties, EASTMAN'S EARLY took the lead in the combination of earliness, yield and quality.

The U. S. DEPT of AGRICULTURE tested this variety at its Experiment Stations north, west and south. With Cory Peep O' Day, Golden Bantam, etc., in comparison, in every instance EASTMAN'S EARLY led all other varieties in earliness of maturing the crop.

Eastman's Early, Extra Selected..... 40 50 10

Our seed stock is always selected from the first and best ears to ripen, while corn is standing in the field. From a similar selection of the first-fruits we offer this stock to such of our customers as prefer to pay a little more for the probable gain of a few days in the earliness of the crop.

Market Garden..... 30 40 5

Good to follow Eastman's Early.

Cory..... 25 35 5

Black Mexican..... 25 35 5

Potter's Excelsior..... 25 35 5

One planting of Eastman's Early, Market Garden and Potter's Excelsior give a good succession from mid-summer until frosts.

Stowell's Evergreen (late)..... 30 40 5

VARIETIES OF POP CORN.

Tattooed Yankee..... 35 50 5

Originally introduced by us, and the favorite variety with our customers, both for home use and for market.

White Rice..... 25 40 5

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CRESS

	Per lb.	1-4 lb.	oz.	pkt.
Curled Leaf.....			10	5

CUCUMBER

Early Russian.....	1 00	30	10	5
Medium Pickling.....	1 00	30	10	5
White Spine (Peerless).....	1 00	30	10	5
Long Green Improved.....	1 00	30	10	5
Evergreen.....	1 00	20	10	5
Parisian Pickling.....	1 25	40	15	5
Purity (pkt. only).....				10

Our fine exhibition variety, producing pure white fruit, crisp and excellent for the table in its early stages.

EGG PLANT

Long Purple.....			30	5
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ENDIVE

London Curled.....			15	5
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KALE

Scotch Curled.....			15	5
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KOHL RABI

Purple Vienna.....			25	5
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LETTUCE

Grand Rapids (best early).....			15	5
"Celery" (best lettuce for blanching).....			15	5
Porton Curled.....			15	5
Premium Cabbage.....			20	5

MUSK MELON

Granite State (pkt. only).....				10
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The earliest of all musk melons, and the largest of the extra earlies. On account of short crop last year, we are unable the present season to offer the Granite State by the ounce and pound.

Bulletin 52, New Hampshire Experiment Station gives a tabular report of 72 varieties of musk melons tested, the Granite State leading all others by seven days in earliness, and was equalled in yield by two varieties only.

Rocky Ford.....	1 00	30	10	5
Jenny Lind.....	1 00	30	10	5

ONION

	Per lb.	1-4 lb.	oz.	pkt.
✓Queen (small and early).....	2 50	80	25	5
✓YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS.....	2 50	80	25	5
✓Red Globe Danvers.....	2 50	80	25	5
✓Large Red Wethersfield.....	1 75	50	15	5
✓Silver Skinned (true white).....	2 25	70	25	5
✓Prize Taker.....	2 00	60	20	5

ONION SETS.

Best Yellow, per qt, ex. 25; mail 35.

PARSLEY

Moss Curled.....	20	5
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PARSNIP

Hollow Crown.....	60	20	10	5
Turnip Rooted.....	60	20	10	5

PEPPER

Large Bell.....	25	5
Ruby King.....	25	5
Chili.....	25	5

PEA

Varieties are given about in their order of earliness. Wrinkled varieties are marked with a (*).

	Per bu.	* By express - peck	qt.	By mail - Per qt.	pkt.
Round Extra Early.....	5 00	1 50	25	40	5
*SURPRISE.....	7 00	2 00	35	50	5
*Gradus.....	9 00	2 50	40	55	5
*American Wonder.....	6 50	1 80	35	50	5
*Nott's Excelsior.....	7 50	2 25	35	50	5
*DWARF CHAMPION.....	5 00	1 50	25	40	5
*Telephone.....	6 50	1 75	30	45	5
*Champion of England.....	4 50	1 25	25	40	5
Black-Eyed Marrowfat.....	3 50	1 00	20	35	5
GIANT SCIMITAR STRING PEA			40	55	10

The giant podded variety that is cooked pods and all, the same as string beans.

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RADISH

	Per lb.	1-4 lb.	oz.	pkt.
✓ EARLY SCARLET GLOBE (best early)	60	20	10	5
✓ Hailstone.....			10	5
✓ Triumph			10	5
✓ ICICLE (white and crisp)	75	25	10	5
✓ Carter's Long Scarlet.....	60	20	10	5

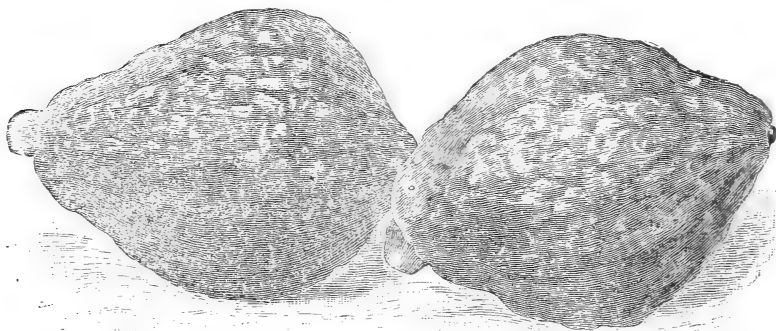
SALSIFY (Oyster Plant)

Sandwich Island.....	1 25	40	15	5
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SPINACH

✓ Round Leaved	40	15	8	5
✓ Prickly (for fall sowing)	40	15	8	5
✓ New Zealand.....	1 00	30	10	5

SQUASH



METCALF

.....	1 00	30	10	5
The long tried favorite with our customers. Of good quality, and out-yields every other table variety.				
DELICIOUS.....	1 50	50	15	10
Early Bush Crookneck.....	75	25	10	5
HUBBARD.....	1 00	30	10	5
Golden Bronze.....	1 00	30	10	5
Faxon.....	1 00	30	10	5
Sibley	1 00	30	10	5

SWISS CHARD

	Per lb.	1-4 lb.	oz.	pkt.
Silver Leaf.....	60	20	10	5

TOMATO

BRIGHT AND EARLY	50	5
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The earliest of all tomatoes. Introduced by us in 1896.

Bright and Early, Extra Selected (pkt. only).....	10	
Seeded from the fruit first ripening.		

Livingston's Favorite.....	20	5
Dwarf Champion.....	25	5
Ponderosa	20	5
Pear Formed Red.....	20	5
Plum Shaped Yellow.....	20	5

TURNIP

ENGLISH VARIETIES

✓ Extra Early Milan.....	60	20	8	5
✓ Purple-Top Strap-Leaf.....	50	15	8	5
✓ Green-Top Aberdeen	50	15	8	5
✓ White Egg.....	60	20	8	5

SWEDES OR RUTA BAGAS

✓ PURPLE-TOP SWEDE.....	50	15	8	5
✓ Carter's Elephant	50	15	8	5
✓ Sweet German.....	50	15	8	5

WATER MELON

COLE'S EARLY.....	75	25	10	5
Phinney's Early.....	75	25	10	5
Citron, Red Seeded	75	25	10	5

HERBS

Anise.....	5	Lavender.....	5
Balm	5	Marjoram, sweet	5
Caraway	5	SAGE.....lb, 150; 1-4 lb, 50; oz, 15	5
Catnip.....	5	Summer Savory.....	5
Coriander.....	5	Thyme	5
Hoarhound	5	Wormwood	5

CHOICE FLOWERS

SPECIAL DISCOUNTS

For \$0.25. Flower Seeds in pkts. may be selected to amount of \$0.35

.50	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	.75
1.00	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1.50

ALYSSUM

Common Sweet	5
Extra Dwarf	5

ASTER

Branching white	10
" pink	10
" purple	10
" mixed colors	10
Tall varieties mixed	5
Dwarf Bouquet	5

BALEAM



Camellia-Flowered	5
Dwarf	5
CALENDULA, mixed colors	5
CALLIOPSIS, mixed colors	5

CANDYTUFF

White	5
Purple	5
Mixed colors	5

CARNATION

Choice mixed	25
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CONVOLVULUS

Major "Morning Glory"	5
Minor (dwarf)	5

COSMOS mixed colors

5

CYPRESS VINE

5

DIANTHUS, mixed varieties

5

ESCHSCHOLTZIA

(California Poppy) mixed	5
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EVERLASTINGS

Acroclitium	5
Gomphrena (Amaranth)	5
Mixed Everlastings	5

GOURDS, mixed varieties

5

GRASSES, ornamental mixed

10

HOLLYHOCK, best double

5

MIGNONETTE

5

MYOSOTIS

"Forget-Me-Not"	10
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MIRABILIS

"Four O'clock," mixed	5
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NASTURTIUM

Climbing, mixed	oz. 10	5
Tom Thumb	"	15
" " separate colors,		5
crimson, scarlet, yellow,	each	5

PANSY



EASTMAN'S BEAUTIES	15
EASTMAN'S GIANTS	15
White Queen.....	10
Black Prince.....	10
Victoria Red.....	10
Emperor Frederick, brown edged with yellow.....	10
President Carnot, violet with white margin.....	10
Fairy Queen, blue, edged with white.....	10
Fire King.....	10
Emperor William, fine blue	5
Lord Beaconsfield, purple shaded white.....	5
Yellow.....	5
Mahogany.....	5
Marbled.....	5
Fine mixed.....	5

PETUNIA

Fine mixed.....	5
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POPPY

All Kinds and Colors.....	5
Ranunculus-Flowered.....	5
Peony-Flowered.....	5
Iceland.....	5
Oriental.....	5

PORTULACA

Single, mixed colors.....	5
Best Double.....	10

RICINUS, mixed varieties....	5
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SCABIOSA, 'MourningBride'	5
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PHLOX

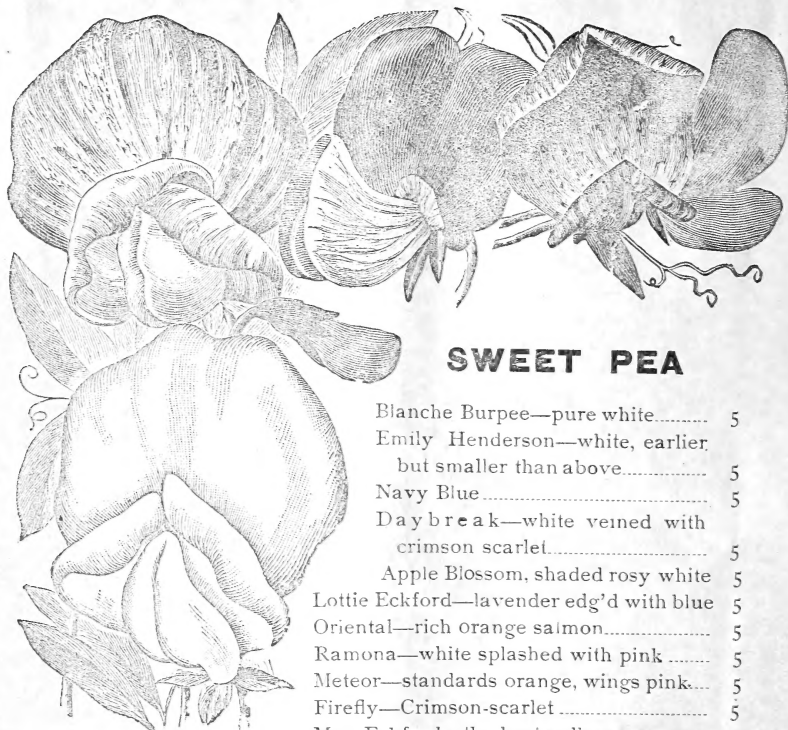


White.....	5
Scarlet.....	5
Mixed colors.....	5
Star-Flowered.....	5
SALPIGLOSSIS, mx'd colors	10
SNAPDRAGON, mx'd colors	5
STOCK (Ten Weeks)	
Best Double.....	5
SUNFLOWER	
Large Double.....	5
Mammoth Russian.....	5
SWEET PEA (See page 12)	
SWEET WILLIAM	
Best Double.....	5
Best Single.....	5
VERBENA	
Fine mixed.....	5
Extra choice.....	10

ZINNIA



Best Double.....	5
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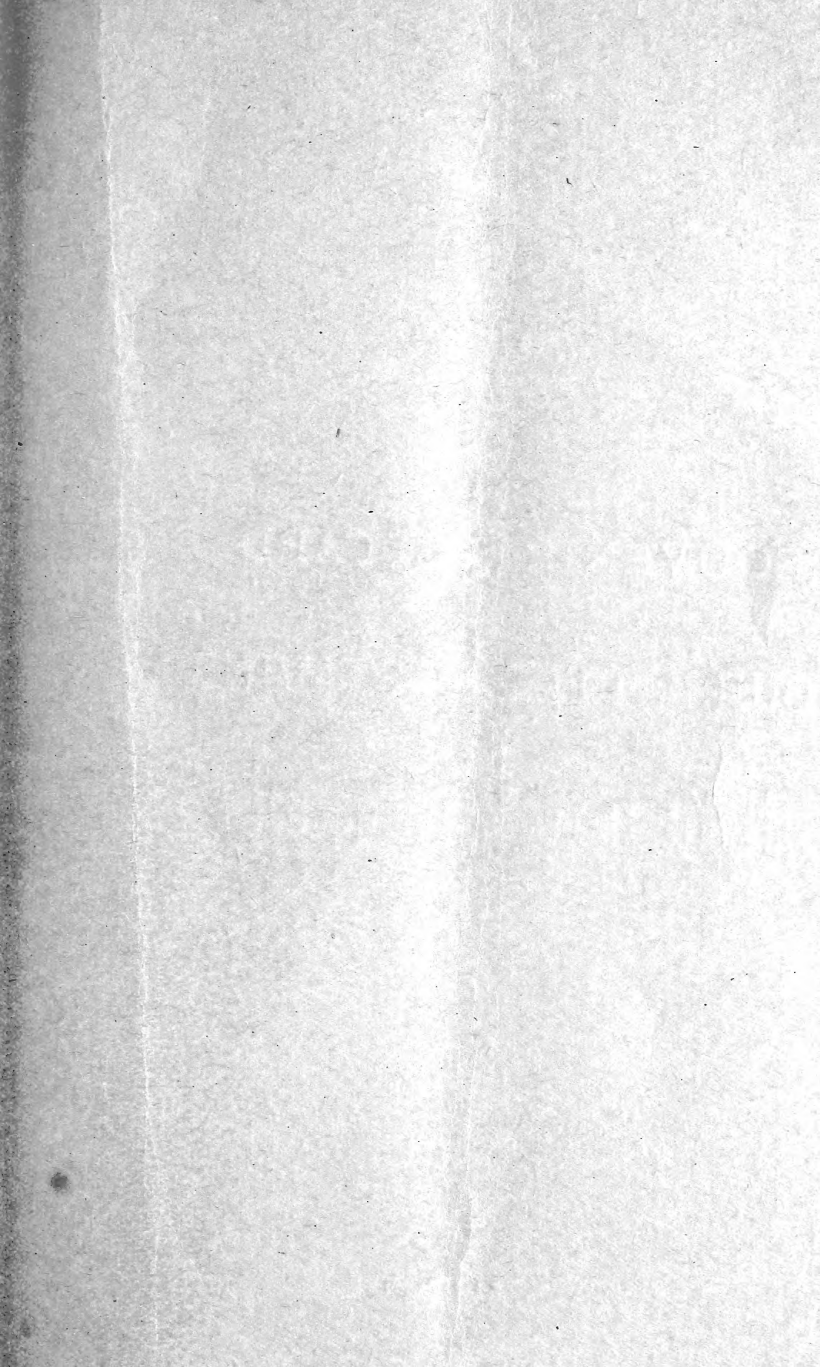


SWEET PEA

Blanche Burpee—pure white.....	5
Emily Henderson—white, earlier, but smaller than above.....	5
Navy Blue.....	5
Day break—white veined with crimson scarlet.....	5
Apple Blossom, shaded rosy white.....	5
Lottie Eckford—lavender edg'd with blue.....	5
Oriental—rich orange salmon.....	5
Ramona—white splashed with pink.....	5
Meteor—standards orange, wings pink....	5
Firefly—Crimson-scarlet.....	5
Mrs. Eckford—the best yellow.....	5
Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain—one of the finest striped varieties, white and bright rose.....	5
Princess of Wales—blue and white striped.....	5
Boreatton—dark maroon.....	5
Mrs. Gladstone—blush pink.....	5
Mars—brilliant scarlet.....	5
Blanche Ferry—standards crimson-pink, wings blush white. An early, continuous and profuse bloomer.....	5
Red, White and Blue—best varieties of the three colors mixed.....	5
Burpee's Bush—about 18 inches high, requires no support.....	5
Good Mixed.....	Per lb. 35 1-4 lb. 10 oz. 5
Special 1907 Mixture—including new varieties....	“ 50 “ 15 5

“AUNT DORCAS' FLOWER SEEDS”

Choice mixture for “wild garden”—large pk'ts. (3 for 25 c.)..... 10



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FOUR LITTLE EASTMANS

FREE (if asked for) with every mail order of 1907